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Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.116  
 Expedited Procedure Requested  
 Examining Group. 3618  
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In re application of: Juha TRINEN et al.

Application No. : 10/607,972

Group Art Unit : 3618

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For : GRIP FOR A SPORTS POLE, AND A SPORTS POLE HAVING SUCH GRIP

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Transmitted herewith is an **Amendment under 37 C.F.R. 1.116** in the above-captioned application.

☐ Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.

☒ A Request for Extension of Time.

☒ A verified English language translation of Applicant's priority application.

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Indep. Claims: 4	**9	0	x100=	\$	x200=	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims Presented			+180=	\$	+360=	\$ 0.00
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